

## NEWS RELEASE

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## Calling Long Beach and Signal Hill Youth Get a Head Start on Applying for Seasonal Job Opportunities

If you are 16 - 24 years old and are looking for seasonal employment with businesses like Macy's, Sam's Club, Blue Wave, UPS, Pinkberry, and Cambrian Homecare, you won't want to miss this seasonal hiring event on Thursday, October 16, 2008, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m., at the Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network's Youth Opportunity Center, 3447 Atlantic Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90807.

For out-of-school youth, the Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network offers no cost workshops to prepare job seekers for interviews. To check out upcoming workshops on resume preparation and interview skills, visit [www.pacificgatewayworkforce.com](http://www.pacificgatewayworkforce.com) and click on Job Seekers Calendar. In-school youth can call the Youth Opportunity Center at 562.570.4700 for assistance.

For more information on the hiring event, visit [www.hireayouth.com](http://www.hireayouth.com). While you're on-line, click on the VOS link for information on current job openings! Questions? Email Kristen\_Major@longbeach.gov or call 562.570. 4733 / TTY 562.570.4629

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Auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individuals with disabilities. To request a reasonable accommodation, please call 562.570.3738 or TTY 562.570.4629, at least 72 hours prior to event.

**Youth Opportunity Center (YOC)** The YOC provides an array of resources and tools to help youth in Long Beach, Torrance, Lomita and Signal Hill get educated, experienced and employed. For more information, visit [www.HireAYouth.com](http://www.HireAYouth.com) or call call: 562.570.4700, Toll Free 800.292.7200, TTY 562.570.4629.

